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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. C3685.001/P011

First Inventor Jason French

Title Request For Quote (RFQ) System And Method

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

- Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
- Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
- Specification [Total Pages **32**]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed Sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure

4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets **5**]

5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages]

- a. Newly executed (original or copy)
- b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

- i. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)

6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

ADDRESS TO: Box Patent Application
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)
 - a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii. paper
 - c. Statements verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATIONS PARTS

9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement
(when there is an assignee) Power of Attorney
11. English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations
13. Preliminary Amendment
14. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i)
Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.
17. Other: _____

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76

Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: _____

Prior application information: Examiner _____

Group / Art Unit: _____

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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| | | | March 15, 2001 |

FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2001

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 1,642.00)

METHOD OF PAYMENT

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

Deposit Account Number 04-1073

Deposit Account Name Dickstein Shapiro Morin & Oshinsky LLP

Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 Applicant claims small entity status See 37 CFR 1.27

2. Payment Enclosed

Check Credit Card Money Order Other

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Entity | Small Entity | | | | | Fee Paid |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------------|--|----------|
| Fee Code (\$) | Fee Code (\$) | Fee Code (\$) | Fee Description | | | |
| 101 | 710 | 201 | 355 | Utility filing fee | | 710.00 |
| 106 | 320 | 206 | 160 | Design filing fee | | |
| 107 | 490 | 207 | 245 | Plant filing fee | | |
| 108 | 710 | 208 | 355 | Reissue filing fee | | |
| 114 | 150 | 214 | 75 | Provisional filing fee | | |
| SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) | | | | 710.00 | | |

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

| Total Claims | 54 | -20** = | 34 | X | 18 | = | 612 | Fee Paid |
|--------------------|----|---------|----|---|----|---|-----|----------|
| Independent Claims | 7 | -3** = | 4 | X | 80 | = | 320 | |
| Multiple Dependent | | | | | | | | |

Large Entity Small Entity

| Fee Code (\$) | Fee Code (\$) | Fee Code (\$) | Fee Description | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------------------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| 103 | 18 | 203 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 | | | | | |
| 102 | 80 | 202 | 40 | Independent claims in excess of 3 | | | | | |
| 104 | 270 | 204 | 135 | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid | | | | | |
| 109 | 80 | 209 | 40 | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent | | | | | |
| 110 | 18 | 210 | 9 | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent | | | | | |
| SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) | | | | 932.00 | | | | | |

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| Application Number | Not Yet Assigned |
| Filing Date | March 15, 2001 |
| First Named Inventor | Jason French |
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| Group Art Unit | Not Yet Assigned |
| Attorney Docket No. | C3685.0011/P011 |

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

| Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Code (\$) | Fee Code (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|
| 105 | 130 | 205 | 65 | Surcharge – late filing fee or oath | |
| 127 | 50 | 227 | 25 | Surcharge – late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | |
| 139 | 130 | 139 | 130 | Non-English specification | |
| 147 | 2,520 | 147 | 2,520 | For filing a request for ex parte reexamination | |
| 112 | 920* | 112 | 920* | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | |
| 113 | 1,840* | 113 | 1,840* | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action | |
| 115 | 110 | 215 | 55 | Extension for reply within first month | |
| 116 | 390 | 216 | 195 | Extension for reply within second month | |
| 117 | 890 | 217 | 445 | Extension for reply within third month | |
| 118 | 1,390 | 218 | 695 | Extension for reply within fourth month | |
| 126 | 1,890 | 228 | 945 | Extension for reply within fifth month | |
| 119 | 310 | 219 | 155 | Notice of Appeal | |
| 120 | 310 | 220 | 155 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 121 | 270 | 221 | 135 | Request for oral hearing | |
| 138 | 1,510 | 138 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | |
| 140 | 110 | 240 | 55 | Petition to revive – unavoidable | |
| 141 | 1,240 | 241 | 620 | Petition to revive – unintentional | |
| 142 | 1,240 | 242 | 620 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 143 | 440 | 243 | 220 | Design issue fee | |
| 144 | 600 | 244 | 300 | Plant issue fee | |
| 122 | 130 | 122 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 123 | 50 | 123 | 50 | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) | |
| 126 | 180 | 126 | 180 | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt | |
| 581 | 40 | 581 | 40 | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | |
| 146 | 710 | 246 | 355 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | |
| 149 | 710 | 249 | 355 | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | |
| 179 | 710 | 279 | 355 | Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | |
| 169 | 900 | 169 | 900 | Request for expedited examination of a design application | |
| Other fee (specify) | | | | | |
| SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) | | | | 932.00 | |
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| SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) | | | | 932.00 | |

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